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# *To the Reader.*

HEaring and reading the Diſcourſes and Writings of very many about Bees, and finding moſt of my Countrymen not over skilfull in the way of keeping and meanes of preſerving them; as alſo of the way of preſerving wheat, and other things from blaſting by mildews: I having of late had a little leaſure to write, and conſidering the great good and benefite that may bee made of this knowledge; have therefore (though rudely) penned this little Treatiſe, for the benefit of preſent and future ages: and am willing alſo, if this prove profitable and acceptable, to add ſomething more hereunto of further uſe. And ſo praying God to give a bleſsing, I reſt

*Thine in the Lord,*

RICHARD REMNANT.